One hundred twelve Members having answered the call, Speaker Morgan declares a quorum present. The House proceeds with public business.

Representative Culpepper is recognized and states that he has placed a resolution with the Clerk for consideration by the Body.

Speaker Morgan directs the Principal Clerk to number the resolution and places **H.R. 1**, A HOUSE RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE PERMANENT RULES OF THE 2003 SECOND EXTRA SESSION OF THE NORTH CAROLINA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, before the Body.

The resolution is adopted, by electronic vote (103-10), and ordered printed.

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Speaker Morgan states that the Committees on Appropriations, Ethics, Finance, and Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House are activated to meet pursuant to the rules and that the committee memberships are the same as those of the 2003 Regular Session.

SPECIAL MESSAGE TO THE SENATE

Speaker Morgan orders a Special Message sent to the Senate informing that Honorable Body that the House of Representatives is organized and ready to proceed with public business for the 2003 Extra Session.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following are introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representatives G. Allen, Crawford, Gibson, Goodwin, Hill, Howard, Miner, Owens, and Wainwright:

H.B. 2, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING CHANGES RECOMMENDED BY THE GOVERNOR: (1) APPROPRIATE TWENTY-FIVE MILLION DOLLARS FOR INDUSTRIAL SITE INFRASTRUCTURE FOR MAJOR PROJECTS; (2) MODIFY THE JOB DEVELOPMENT INVESTMENT GRANT PROGRAM; (3) PROVIDE INCENTIVES FOR MAJOR PHARMACEUTICAL AND BIOPROCESSING FACILITIES BY EXTENDING THE BILL LEE ACT SUNSET FOR THESE INDUSTRIES AND AUTHORIZING SALES TAX REFUNDS

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